

AMENDMENT NO. 5.

A Light, Temporary Tax for Much Needed New Capitol Building.

A favorer of the Fifth Constitutional Amendment puts it in this way:

The voters of the state should bear in mind, at the coming election, and vote for Constitutional Amendment Number 5, providing for the creation of a special fund for the building of a new state capitol. The middle section of the present building was erected in the year of 1838, and the additions of the end were made about twenty years ago. It is inadequate for the present and future wants of the state; besides, it is not a fire-proof structure, and is lacking in vaults and other facilities for the proper care and keeping of the public records of the state. The adjoining states of Iowa, Kansas, Illinois, have all fine modern state capitols, erected in recent years, which reflect credit on the citizens of those states. Arkansas has one in the course of construction. Missouri outranks all of these states with the exception of Illinois in population and wealth, and exceeds Illinois in area. The contemplated tax for the new state capitol is neither a permanent nor a heavy one. It is to continue for only five years, and if the amendment is adopted, will be 4 cents on 100 dollars assessed valuation of property; that is, each tax-payer will pay forty cents on each one thousand dollars of property valuation on the five year period. It is estimated that it will take at least ten years to complete the new building, and that the contemplated rate of taxation will in said period raise a fund of about \$2,500,000; sufficient to erect an up-to-date modern structure—one that will be a credit to the state and the pride of all Missourians. Vote Yes.

\$100 REWARD, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer one hundred dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for testimonials.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation. 11-5ml

Folk Sayings.

No honest man can be hurt by investigation.

He who serves the public best, serves his party best.

The guiding star of a public and private life must be principle.

There is as much patriotism in the ballot as there is in the bullet.

The indifference of electors is the weakness of a republican form of government.

There is nothing the bolder (or corrupt) officials) fears so much as an aroused public conscience.

I hope to see the day come when in America, official integrity shall be held as sacred as female virtue and as zealously guarded.

Where wars, pestilence, famines and all other calamities combined have destroyed one government, corruption has destroyed a score.

It is easy enough for a prosecuting officer to bring up some wretch who picks a pocket or steals a loaf of bread, but it is quite another thing when the law is put against those who clean out municipal larders and plunder the people of an entire city or state.

It is hardly possible to suppress the trusts by one hand while the other is feeding them with the meat of protection on which they grow fat and arrogant.

When legislation becomes a commodity the liberties of the people will be lost.

The ballot is the most precious possession of the working-man.

The corrupt legislator traffics in the honor of a sovereign people.

NEURALGIA PAINS.

Rheumatism, lumbago and sciatic pains yield to the penetrating influence of Ballard's Snow Liniment. It penetrates to the nerves and bone and being absorbed into the blood, its healing properties are conveyed to every part of the body, and effect some wonderful cures. 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold by Crenshaw & Young, Druggists. 11-5ml

The famous Lyman Twins in their new musical comedy, "At The Races" will be at the opera house Monday night. This superb production far surpasses all others in which these clever young comedians have yet appeared, being supported by some of the cleverest comedians now before the public. This is said to be one of the finest musical comedy productions today before the public.

A HEAVY LOAD.

To lift that load off of the stomach take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat. Sour stomach, belching, gas on stomach and all disorders of the stomach that are curable, are instantly relieved and permanently cured by the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. S. P. Storrs, a druggist at 297 Main street New Britain, Conn., says: "Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is giving such universal satisfaction and is so surely becoming the positive relief and subsequent cure for this distressing ailment, I feel that I am always sure to satisfy and gratify my customers by recommending it to them. I write this to show how well the remedy is spoken of here." Kodol Dyspepsia Cure was discovered after years of scientific experiments and will positively cure all stomach troubles. Sold by Crenshaw & Young, Druggists. 11-5ml

Mrs. Robert Taubman left Wednesday morning for a trip around the world. She goes from here to Denver and from there to San Francisco, from which place she sails the 9th of this month for China. Mrs. N. E. Baskett and daughter, Amelia, and E. M. Taubman and son, Robert, accompanied her as far as Kansas City.

READ THIS.

Dr. E. W. Hall, St. Louis, Mo.—Dear Sir: After using various kidney cures for several years without any success, I was cured by less than one bottle of The Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery. I can conscientiously recommend to all sufferers of kidney troubles.

W. H. HILKE, 1525 Goode Ave.

A TEXAS WONDER.

One small bottle of the Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism, and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women; regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, it will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Dr. E. W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O. Box 629, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials. Sold by all druggists.

Mrs. E. C. Hays, Miss Elaine Campbell, Miss Belle Graves of Kansas City and Miss Louise Graves of Mayview returned from St. Louis Thursday morning.

A GOOD COMPLEXION.

Sparkling eyes and rosy cheeks restored by using DeWitt's Little Early Risers," so writes S. P. Moore, of Nacogdoches, Tex. A certain cure for biliousness, constipation, etc. Small pill—easy to take—easy to act. Sold by Crenshaw & Young. 11-5ml

Miss Mary L. Schaaf of near this city won seven prizes on white Holland turkeys at the World's Fair last week. She had eight birds on exhibition and seven took prizes amounting to more than one hundred dollars.

A Card.

The family of the late Horatio Kinkaid wishes to express the appreciation in which it holds the many kindnesses and tender sympathy of friends during the last illness of their departed.

THE FAMILY.

Miss Mary L. Schaaf of near this city won seven prizes on white Holland turkeys at the World's Fair last week. She had eight birds on exhibition and seven took prizes amounting to more than one hundred dollars.

Just Breathe Hyomei Four Times a Day and be Cured.

If a few years ago some one had said you can cure catarrh by breathing air charged with healing balsams, the idea would have been ridiculed and it remained for that eminent investigator, R. T. Booth, to discover in Hyomei this method cure.

Breathe Hyomei through the inhaler for a few minutes four times a day and it will cure the worst case of catarrh. It soothes and heals the mucous membrane of the air passages prevents irritation, and effects a complete and lasting cure.

In Lexington there are scores of well known people who have been cured of catarrh by Hyomei. If it does not help you Chas. W. Loomis will return the money you paid for Hyomei.

To the Voters of Lafayette County.

It appears that many of my friends do not know that I am the Republican nominee for county treasurer. I will be unable to make a personal canvass of the entire county and take this means to state that if elected I will give my personal attention to the office and discharge the duties faithfully and impartially.

Very respectfully,

JOHN TAUBMAN.

Miss Laura Hyde returned to Kansas City Tuesday evening.

Miss Maria Wood returned from Kansas City Tuesday night.

Mrs. Claude Price came down from Kansas City Tuesday night for a stay here.

Mrs. Sarah Graves went to Kansas City Friday morning for a visit with friends.

Mrs. Richard Young went to Kansas City Friday morning for a few days visit.

Married, Thursday, Nov. 3, 1904, Miss Bertha Igo and Carl Bertz, both of this city.

Capt. Ryland Todhunter went to Higginsville Thursday morning to spend the day.

Dr. C. T. Ryland went to Higginsville Thursday morning on professional business.

Miss Fannie Slusher went to Kansas City Wednesday morning for a visit with friends.

Mrs. B. Frederick of Kansas City, arrived Wednesday night for a visit with relatives here.

Miss Agnes Farley of Sedalia, arrived Wednesday evening for a visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Frank Stewart and Miss Bettie Spurr returned from Higginsville Wednesday evening.

Misses Alice and May Peak and Walter Peak went to St. Louis Tuesday night to attend the fair.

Mrs. Ed Moorman, Dr. N. B. Payne and James Terhune went to Kansas City Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Adams went to Ottumwa Friday morning for a visit with the family of F. N. Adams.

Mrs. Louise Nagle and daughter, Miss Edna, went to St. Louis Wednesday morning to attend the fair.

Rev. J. P. Wood of Malta Bend, returned to his home Friday morning after a visit with Rev. F. M. Cobb.

Dr. Geo. Kriehn returned to his home in New York City Thursday night after a visit with his parents here.

Mrs. C. F. Kellison of Los Angeles, Cal., returned to her home Thursday morning after a visit with Mrs. W. A. Gaffa.

Mrs. J. C. Young, Jr., and Mrs. Wm. Hill went to Kansas City Wednesday morning for a visit with friends.

Mrs. J. M. SerVis and daughter, Miss Mary, returned to their home in Chicago Thursday evening after a visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Frazer, Mrs. Wm. Stonestreet and Miss Annie Ireland returned from St. Louis Wednesday evening.

George Long went to St. Louis Wednesday night. Herman Mark will have charge of his meat market during his absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Keeney, L. Rostagno and daughter, Miss Bertha, returned from St. Louis Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Terhune and two daughters, Mrs. Harry Caldwell and Miss Myrtle, and Miss Amelia Smith returned from St. Louis Tuesday evening.

Mrs. David Heathman and baby returned Wednesday night from a stay in Liberty. Her sister, Miss Bessie Dawson, accompanied her home for a visit.

Mrs. L. B. Gordon, Mrs. Ella White, Mrs. Kate Bishop, Mrs. Sarah Hendricks and Miss Polly Bradley went to Winton Thursday morning to spend the day.

There was a meeting of the bridge committee Tuesday night in Catron & Taubman's office. The object of the meeting was to devise ways and means of raising the money still lacking to complete the desired bonus.

FINE Fruit and Vegetable LAND

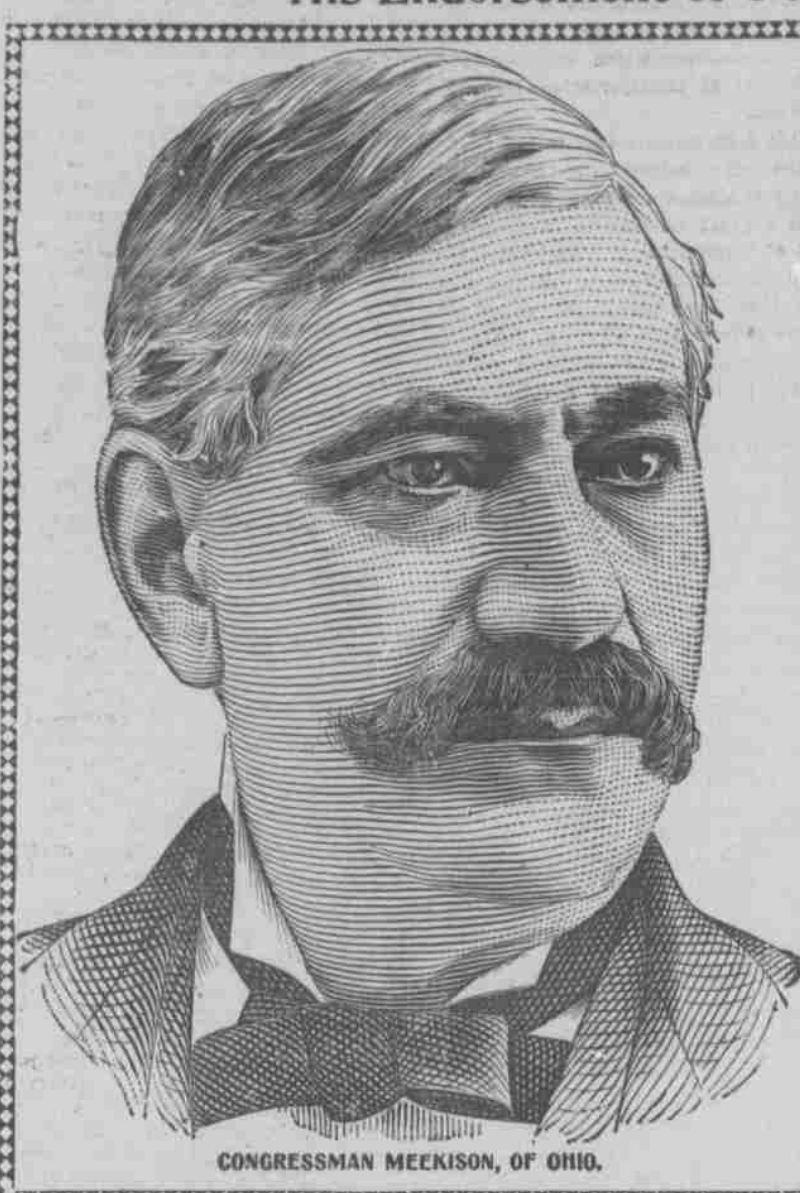
I offer for the next 30 days 6,000 acres of the finest fruit and Vegetable lands in the South, in small tracts.

Write for particulars,

W. A. RAGLAND, Foreman, Ark.

FOR THIRTY YEARS

Congressman Meekison Suffered With Catarrh—Read His Endorsement of Pe-ru-na.



CONGRESSMAN MEKISON, OF OHIO.

Hon. David Meekison is well known, not only in his own State but throughout America. He began his political career by serving four consecutive terms as Mayor of the town in which he lives, during which time he became widely known as the founder of the Meekison Bank of Napoleon, Ohio. He was elected to the Fifty-fifth Congress by a very large majority, and is the acknowledged leader of his party in his section of the State.

Only one flaw marred the otherwise complete success of this rising statesman. Catarrh with its insidious approach and tenacious grasp, was his only unconquered foe. For thirty years he waged unsuccessful warfare against this personal enemy. At last Peruna came to the rescue, and he dictated the following letter to Dr. Hartman as the result:

"I have used several bottles of Peruna and I feel greatly benefited thereby from my catarrh of the head. I feel encouraged to believe that if I use it a short time longer I will be fully able to eradicate the disease of thirty years' standing."—David Meekison, ex-Member of Congress.

Over fifty members of Congress endorse Peruna as a catarrhal tonic. Men of prominence the world over praise Peruna.

EXECUTION SALE.

Whereas, by virtue of a fee bill and execution issued from the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Saline county, state of Missouri, dated October 25th, 1904, wherein Norman L. Keeth is plaintiff and J. P. Tracy et al are defendants, to me directed and returnable to the December term, 1904 of said court, I did levy upon and seize, as the property of said defendant, all right, title and interest of, in and to the real estate hereinafter described, being the undivided one-half interest therein, a notice of which said levy was by me on said date duly filed in the office of the recorder of deeds for Lafayette county; now, therefore, I, the undersigned, sheriff of Lafayette county, will on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1904, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of said day, and in front of the court house door, in the city of Lexington, Lafayette county, Missouri, during the session of said court of said county, offer for sale and sell, publicly, to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the right, title, interest, claim and estate of said B. F. Feagan and Mary Feagan, defendants in said execution, in and to the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in the county of Lafayette and state of Missouri, to-wit: One hundred and sixty acres being the east half of the west half section twenty-six (26), township thirty-one (31), range twenty (20), in Lafayette county, Missouri, levied upon as property of said defendants, and sold to satisfy said execution, together with the costs and expenses of this sale.

Given under my hand this 20th day of November 1904.

11-5td OSCAR THOMAS, Sheriff.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and other persons interested in the estate of John Zayang, deceased, that the undersigned administrator will apply to make a final settlement of said estate, at the November term, 1904, of the probate court of Lafayette county, Missouri, to be begun and held at the probate court room, in the city of Lexington, on the second Monday in November, 1904.

10-12td ERVIN ZEYSLER, Administrator.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and other persons interested in the estate of Louis C. Bedworth, deceased, that the undersigned administrator will apply to make a final settlement of said estate, at the November term, 1904, of the probate court of Lafayette county, Missouri, to be begun and held at the probate court room, in the city of Lexington, on the second Monday in November, 1904.

10-12td LAMAR BEDSWORTH, Administrator.

BEST LINIMENT ON EARTH.

Henry D. Baldwin, Supt. City Water Works, Shullsburg, Wis., writes: "I have tried many kinds of liniment, but I have never received much benefit until I used Ballard's Snow Liniment for rheumatism and pains. I think it the best liniment on earth." 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold by Crenshaw & Young, Druggists. 11-5ml

Fine Hogs For Sale.

I have for sale a lot of fine Poland China hogs, both gilts and boars. A. P. Young, Near Prairie Church. 10-17

SHERIFF'S SALE.

The State of Missouri at the relation and to the use of J. J. Fulkerson. Collector of the Revenue of Lafayette county, in the State of Missouri, Plaintiff, vs. B. F. Feagan and Mary Feagan, Defendants. In the Circuit Court of Lafayette County, Missouri, at Lexington.

By virtue of a special execution issued from the office of the circuit clerk of Lafayette county, Missouri, in the above entitled cause, wherein the state of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of J. J. Fulkerson, collector of the revenue of Lafayette county, Missouri, is plaintiff and against B. F. Feagan and Mary Feagan, defendants, to me directed and returnable to the December term, 1904, of said court at Lexington, Missouri, I, the undersigned, sheriff of Lafayette county, Missouri, will on

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Given under my hand this 20th day of November 1904.

10-22td OSCAR THOMAS, Sheriff.

Notice To Bridge Contractors.

I will let to the lowest and best bidder, on THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 10, A. D. 1904, One Wooden Truss Bridge, 28 feet span with one 16 foot approach for construction, to be built across Branch on Lexington and Dover road just east of John Ramey's, in section 27, township 40, range 20.

Letting will be at bridge site at 10 o'clock A. M.

Plan and specifications can be seen at time and place of letting.

Contractor is to give bond for maintenance of bridge.

Commissioner reserves right to reject any and all bids.

10-22td B. D. WERDIN, Commissioner.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and other persons interested in the estate of Henry Apewich, deceased, that the undersigned administrator will apply to make a final settlement of said estate, at the November term, 1904, of the probate court of Lafayette county, Missouri, to be begun and held at the probate court room, in the city of Lexington, on the second Monday in November, 1904.

10-12td CHARLOTTE APSEWICH, Administrator.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and other persons interested in the estate of Washington C. Lillard, deceased, that the undersigned administrator will apply to make a final settlement of said estate at the November term, 1904, of the probate court of Lafayette county, Missouri, to be begun and held at the probate court room, in the city of Lexington, on the second Monday in November, 1904.

10-12td ROBERT J. and DOCK RANKIN, Administrators.

SHERIFF'S SALE IN PARTITION.

Milton K. Lillard and Ann E. Lillard, his wife, Et al, the above entitled and M. E. Lillard, his wife, Adelaide L. Woodall and J. H. Woodall, her husband, Fannie A. Davis and G. H. Davis, her husband, Isabel Davis, Eliza Davis and John Davis, her husband, Eugene Davis and Leonard Davis, her husband, Mary Westrope and J. T. Westrope, her husband, Florence Leaton and Robert Leaton, her husband, Marion Jackson, Eugene B. Jackson, Paul Stanley Jackson (minor) and Marion Jackson, guardian and curator of Paul Stanley Jackson, Plaintiffs, vs. Edgar W. Lillard and Bettie Lillard, Defendants.

In the Circuit Court of Lafayette County, Missouri, at Lexington. By virtue of an order and decree of the circuit court of Lafayette county, Missouri, rendered in the above entitled cause, at the adjourned August term, 1904, of said court, issued from the office of the clerk of said circuit court, to me directed and returnable to the December term, 1904, at Lexington, of said court, I, the undersigned, sheriff of Lafayette county, Missouri, will on

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Given under my hand this 20th day of October, 1904.

10-22td OSCAR THOMAS, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE IN PARTITION.

Maud Thomas, Ellen Fisher and Pauline Pitts, Plaintiffs, vs. Eddie Nirels, Vinney Johnson, Martha Waters and Willie Miller, Defendants.

In the Circuit Court of Lafayette County, Missouri, at Lexington. By virtue of an order and decree of the circuit court of Lafayette county, Missouri, rendered at Lexington, in the above entitled cause, at the adjourned August term, 1904, of said circuit court, issued from the office of the clerk of said circuit court, to me directed and returnable to the December term, 1904, at Lexington, of said court, I, the undersigned, sheriff of Lafayette county, Missouri, will on

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Given under my hand this 20th day of October, 1904.

10-22td OSCAR THOMAS, Sheriff.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and other persons interested in the estate of Washington C. Lillard, deceased, that the undersigned administrator will apply to make a final settlement of said estate at the November term, 1904, of the probate court of Lafayette county, Missouri, to be begun and held at the probate court room, in the city of Lexington, on the second Monday in November, 1904.

10-12td EDGAR W. LILLARD, Administrator.